

## THE- STOCK AND CLOD WILL

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**WM. F. BAKER & CO.**

—HAS BEEN SOLD TO—  
**T. C. Berger.**

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**FEBRUARY 1st.**

Our cost sale will continue  
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We still have nearly everything desired.  
All wool silk wraps, 38-inch henriettes  
sold for \$1. at 75 cts; all wool 46-inch  
henriette, sold for 85 cts. now 62 1/2 cts.  
all wool 38-inch henriettes, sold for  
50 cts. now 37 1/2 cts; all wool 38-inch  
henriettes, sold for 37 1/2 cts. now 25 cts.

## IN CLOAKS

We have a full line of plush wraps,  
modjeskas, newmarkets, and jackets,  
and we can save you the profits other  
houses are making.

## IN STAPLE GOODS

WE HAVE

Fruit of the loom, bleached, 8 1/2 cts.  
Lonsdale, bleached, 8 1/2 cts.  
Lonsdale, cambric, 1 1/2 cts.  
Wamsutter, bleached, 1 1/2 cts.  
New York mills, 1 1/2 cts.  
Pride of the West, bleached, 12 1/2 cts.  
Forsyth, 4-4 brown cotton, 6 cts.  
Dundee, 4-4 brown cotton, 6 cts.  
Mohawk Valley, 10-4 bleached sheet  
ing for 24 cts, worth 30 cts.  
Ulrich 10-4 bleached sheeting for 27  
cts, worth 35 cts.  
Pepperell, 10-4 bleached sheeting,  
22 1/2 cts.  
Clark's O. N. T. spool cotton, 4 cts  
per spool, 43 ct. per dozen.  
It will pay you to examine our stock  
before purchasing.

**WM. F. BAKER & CO.**  
134 Salem avenue.

## —NEW—

## WHO SELL GROCERY

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**FISHBURNE, JONES & CO.**

Wholesale Grocers,

—A N D—

## Merchant Millers

Near the corner of Henry street and  
Railroad avenue, are prepared to  
furnish the mercantile public, goods  
in their line, and.

**FLOUR, MEAL, CHOP, &C.**

of their own manufacture. For in-  
stance their noted brands of best  
patent SNOW FLAKE FAMILY  
FLOUR, &c., at prices which will  
compare with any markets in the  
land. They have leased of the Ro-  
anoke Milling company their mill  
property, which will be managed as  
heretofore by our

**MR. B. A. JONES,**

who is a member of both concerns.  
Our business will be strictly whole-  
sale. Our business will be charac-  
terized by

**ENERGY,**

**PROMPTNESS,**

**AND INTEGRITY.**

WE respectfully ask of the Mercantile  
public a chance for us to prove to  
them that we will make it to our  
interest to give us a trial. Our busi-  
ness will be represented on the  
road by the following gentlemen,  
viz:

**E. T. KINDRED, JR.,**

**W. T. JONES,**

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ROANOKE, VA., January 23, 1900.

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—DEALERS IN—

**Stoves, Hardware and Housefurnishing**

**GOODS.**

roofing and Spouting and Plumbing  
and Gas Fitting a specialty.  
JETERSON ST. ROANOKE VA.

## THE GREATEST S-A-L-E

—OF THE—  
**SEASON**

—IN ALL OUR—

## DEPARTMENTS.

DRESS GOODS DEPARTMENT.

MILLINERY DEPARTMENT.

CLOAK DEPARTMENT.

SHAWL DEPARTMENT.

BLANKET AND COMFORT

DEPARTMENT.

TABLE LINEN

AND NAPKIN

DEPARTMENT.

TOWELS & SHEETING

DEPARTMENT.

VELVET

AND PLUSH DEPARTMENT.

DRESS SILK DEPARTMENT.

In our Millinery Department we carry  
a full line of Furs, and Wool Fed  
Hats, Birds' Feathers and Trimmings  
of all kinds, which we are offering at  
less than cost. We make a specialty  
of Mourning Bonnets and Veils.

The greatest sacrifice we are offering  
is in our Cloak Department, where  
you can find a full assortment of Plush  
Cloaks and Plush Jackets, Cloth Cloaks  
and Cloth Jackets of all descriptions,  
cheaper than can be bought at the  
manufacturers.

Our specialty in Black Dress Goods,  
consisting of Black Cashmere, black  
silk finished, and Silk Warp Hen-  
riettes of the finest texture, and also  
fine line of fancy Bl ck Goods.

The ladies of Roanoke would do well  
to call and examine our stock before  
making their purchases.

—OF—

**WM. F. BAKER & CO.**

134 Salem avenue.

**ROSENBAUM BROS.**

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**C MARKLEY'S**

Checked Front Grocery

—ON—

**SALEM AVENUE.**

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Is well supplied with a full fresh and

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**CROCERIES**

And all kinds of

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—OF—

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The West end is good, but SOUTH END  
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One half block, 228 feet front on Henry  
street.  
\$10,000 offered and \$12,000 will  
be paid.  
JAN 21 O. HOWARD ROYER.

## WANTED

A GENTLEMAN DESIRES BOARD  
with a private family for himself  
and wife, in or near town. Would  
prefer an elderly couple without chil-  
dren. High rate will be paid.  
Address "HOME,"  
TARKS office.

jan25-1w

SITUATION WANTED AS BOOK  
keeper or salesman. The best of  
references given. Address Box 222,  
Roanoke Postoffice.

WANTED—TWO BOARDS  
to occupy a delightful front room,  
No. 406, 4th ave. S. W.  
jan22-2w

FOR SALE—A ONE-HORSE POW-  
er Turkey water motor in perfect  
running order, guaranteed, will be  
sold at a very low price. Address:  
TIMES office.

jan22-1t

FOR SALE—NICE DWELLING  
nine rooms, for \$1,500, in monthly  
payments of \$30. J. F. WINGFIELD,  
real estate and insurance agent.

jan21-1t

BOARDS CAN BE ACCOMMO-  
dated at Rorer Park Hotel. Large  
nicely furnished rooms. Large  
grounds. Table set with the best  
market affords. MRS. CRAWFORD,  
proprietress.

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HANDS WANTED—BY ROANOKE  
Manufacturing company. The  
Roanoke Manufacturing company  
wants three or four good shop  
workmen. Fair wages will be paid  
for good, worthy men. Nothing else  
need apply.

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FREE—STENOGRAPHY AND  
typewriting. First class facilities  
and best of teachers. Address:  
with stamp for return postage.  
THE PARISH MFG. CO.,  
209 ft. Parish, N. Y.

FOR SALE—ROOM HOUSE, ELIM  
street, easy terms, monthly pay-  
ments.

Three 3 room houses, Shenandoah  
avenue N. E., good property, cheap.

Five room house, large lot, Hill  
street, very cheap, easy monthly pay-  
ments.

Large 8 room house, High street, on  
installments.

NEALFE THERSTONE & WENTZ,  
No. 37 Third avenue.

FOR SALE—NICE DWELLING,  
nine rooms, for \$1,500, in month-  
ly payments of \$30.

Lot in Edgewood for \$300, \$50 cash  
and \$10 per month.

House and lot on Eighth avenue,  
\$2,000, \$200 cash and \$5 per month.

House and lot on Eighth avenue for  
\$1,500, cash \$50 and \$20 per month.

Ryde Park lots at \$250 to \$300.

J. F. WINGFIELD,  
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THE ROOM RESIDENCE FOR  
RENT.

Corner of Jefferson and Elm streets.  
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accident insurance, the best in  
the world, and therefore the cheapest.  
J. F. WINGFIELD, agent.

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FARM 200 ACRES ONE MILE  
from R. R. Depot. \$1,000 cash.  
Apply to J. F. WINGFIELD.

FOR SALE NICE FARM, 80  
acres, good 5 room dwelling, 50  
acres fine lumber, for only \$800, cash.  
Apply to J. F. WINGFIELD, Insurance  
and Real Estate Agent.

THE WEST END LAND COMPANY  
OF SALEM, VA.

Offer a number of valuable building  
lots in the West End of Salem.  
W. J. NELSON, GEORGE ALLEN,  
President See and Treasurer.  
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NOTICE TO GENTLEMEN I  
have just received a lot of patent  
elastic seam drawers, the best thing  
ever shown in Roanoke, for sale at  
P. A. LEBER'S,  
130 Salem avenue.

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THE STRONGEST FINANCIAL  
institution in Southwest Virginia  
The Roanoke Trust, Loan and Safe  
Deposit company. Capital and sur-  
plus, \$125,000. Pays interest on de-  
posits.

dec 25-1t

FOR SALE—HOUSE OF 8 ROOMS,  
on Wells street. Price, \$1,000,  
cash, \$500 and \$25 per month. Apply  
to J. F. WINGFIELD, Insurance and  
Real Estate agent.

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Improved and unimproved property for  
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THAT HANDLE EXCLUSIVELY PROP-  
ERTY INSIDE OF THE CORPORATION,  
and are agents for the Exchange  
Building and Investment Company.  
Your patronage respectfully solicited.  
No. 7 First avenue, S. W., Roanoke, Va.

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REAL ESTATE AGENT.

Main street, Opposite Duval House,  
SALEM, VA.

Correspondence solicited concerning  
the purchase or sale of property in  
Salem. Personal attention given to  
all business entrusted to me, and full  
satisfaction guaranteed.

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## LOCAL MATTERS.

HAPPENINGS IN AND AROUND  
THE CITY.

GATHERED BY OUR REPORTERS.

Death of Mrs. John W. Johnston.

"Larking" at the Opera House.

Still at the Head—The Vinton  
School.

A telegram received by friends in  
this city yesterday conveyed the sad  
intelligence of the death of Mrs. John  
W. Johnston, of Salem. She was car-  
ried to Richmond a short time ago to  
have an operation performed by Dr.  
Hunter McGuire, at St. Luke's Home,  
and became much worse while there,  
dying yesterday morning. Miss Sallie  
Johnston, eldest daughter of the de-  
ceased, was with her mother when she  
breathed her last and accompanied the  
remains to Salem yesterday  
evening on the 5 o'clock train.

Miss Marie Johnston, daughter of the  
deceased, who was in the city, was  
telegraphed for and arrived on Shen-  
andoah Valley train No. 3 yesterday.

"Larking" at the Opera House Last  
Night.

The amusing comedy "Larking" was  
presented at the opera house last  
night to a large and appreciative au-  
dience. The play was written with  
the sole idea of provoking laughter  
and those who attended with the in-  
tention of a good laugh were not dis-  
appointed. The song, "Down went  
McGuire," was a decided hit. Mr. Ed  
Van Vleet, who took the character of  
Howard Daggart, was the original  
cause of the laughter. The entire  
company is first-class and should  
always have crowded houses.

Still at the Head.

The Travelers Life and Acci-  
dent Insurance, of Hartford, Conn.,  
easily maintains its place as the  
world's leader in accident insur-  
ance, while its life business con-  
ducted strictly on the stock plan at  
low rates, which anticipate any  
probable, so-called "dividends,"  
steadily gains in volume and popular  
favor. Nothing nearer to absolute  
certainty in insurance exists than is  
supplied by the Travelers. Its in-  
sureds are not forfeited after two  
years and non-forfeitable after three  
years.

One of the most desirable plans  
provides a fixed income to one de-  
pendent after his death, or to him-  
self during the advanced years of age.  
jan21-2t

The Vinton School.

There are now about two hundred  
scholars attending the three depart-  
ments of the Vinton Graded school,  
and the building is taxed to its utmost  
capacity to seat the increased number  
of scholars. The teachers have their  
hands full in properly looking after  
them. The commissioners have re-  
solved to build a large addition to  
the school house, two stories high,  
and containing two rooms, one for  
another grade to be established, and  
one for an audience room or chapel.  
It is the intention to put up this ad-  
dition before the beginning of the  
next school year, and it is to be placed  
in front of the present building and  
face on Jackson street—Enterprise.

Progressive Enchere Party.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Simmons enter-  
tained a large number of their friends  
last evening from 5 to 12 o'clock at  
their residence on Franklin street. A  
very delightful evening was spent at  
the fascinating game of enchere. An  
excellent supper was served during  
the evening. The party was given in  
honor of Miss Mayflower, of Washing-  
ton. Among those present were, Mr.  
and Mrs. Moffatt, Mr. and Mrs. Koeh-  
ler, Mr. and Mrs. Hammond, Dr. and  
Mrs. Komer, Miss Hildegarde Pole,  
Miss Terry, the Misses Hilleary, Lee  
D. Simmons, W. S. Pole, C. V. Koeh-  
ler and George Schmitt.

The Fire Last Night.

The alarm of fire was sounded  
last night about two o'clock,  
occasioned by the burning of a  
portion of the roof of the round  
house at the machine works. Both  
fire companies responded promptly to  
the call, but the fire had been put  
out by the time they reached the  
scene. Mr. Will Stemberger, of the  
city bakery, a member of the Juniors,  
found an ember in the bridge  
over Lick run, and received very  
painful injuries, but nothing serious  
is apprehended.

Mayor's Court.

The case of the commonwealth  
against James M. Branson, for the  
larceny of baskets from Andrew Jack-  
son (no relative of "Old Hickory") was  
continued on account of the absence  
of several witnesses.

Rush Coleman was before his honor  
on the charge of vagrancy, and, upon  
his father's giving him a sound whi-  
ppling, was released.

Jim Smith, a vagrant, was ordered  
to shake the dust off his feet within  
an hour.

A Valuable Mineral Spring.

Captain Robert Thompson, of Fin-  
castle, is in the city. He says the  
mineral spring lately purchased by  
Judge McLean, of this city, is almost  
equal to finding a gold nugget, as  
they are worth \$10,000 and the mine-  
ral qualities are widely known and  
the water much sought after. Judge  
McLean could realize the sum he  
paid for the spring in one season  
by having the water sold to the  
guests at the hotels in the vicinity.

In a Pittable Condition.

A woman named Martha Brown,  
claiming to be from Jackson, Miss.,  
was on the streets yesterday begg-  
ing for money to assist her in getting  
back to her home. She claims to  
have gone to New York several years  
ago with her husband, who has just  
died with delirium tremens, leaving  
her in very destitute circumstances.  
She says she was once wealthy and is  
a relative of Jefferson Davis, Robert  
E. Lee and other Confederate heroes.

Amusements.

The play Pygmalion and Galatea will  
be presented at the opera house to-  
night by the Adeline and company.  
The company is a fine one and the  
company is first class, so a fine exhibi-  
tion may be looked for.

Coal Shipments.

The shipments of coal for the Poca-  
hontas Coal company for the week  
ending January 24th, were 37,665 tons,  
and for the month, including the 25th,  
100,584. This is a tremendous increase  
over the shipments of last month.

## Sta. News.

Mr. J. W. Myrtle, a popular con-  
ductor on the Shenandoah Valley rail-  
road, is visiting friends in Greenville,  
Augusta county.

Captain John M. Bailey, a promi-  
nent citizen of Bluefield, was run over  
and killed by a yard engine on the  
Norfolk and Western road Saturday.

The Clinch Valley coal and iron  
company has decided to erect a muck  
bar and rolling mill and wroughtiron  
pipe works at Richlands.

The new passenger station at the  
Norfolk and Western railroad at  
Salem, which will become the finest  
on the line of the road, and will be  
begun at an early day.

Judge W. P. Houston, of the county  
court of Rockbridge, has set Tuesday,  
the 4th day of February, for the open-  
ing of the trial of the Millers and John  
Z. Reese, charged with killing Dr. Z.  
T. W. Taylor.

Colonel Scott Shipp, superintendent  
of the Virginia Military Institute, has  
tendered Captain A. L. Duncan, of  
Danville, the position just created by  
the board of principal assistant in-  
structor of tactics.

General Lee says that the story cir-  
culating that Governor Hill, of New York,  
has made overtures for his influence  
in the South for the presidential  
nomination, with the promise of a  
cabinet position in return, is a bogus  
story revived and rebashed.

Hon. John Randolph Tucker has  
been confined to his room at the Win-  
chester hotel in New York, with an  
aggravated attack of influenza. One of  
the family said that he did not at-  
tend the funeral of the late John L.  
Logan at Salem Sunday for that reason.

The Shenandoah Valley railroad  
company, located at the Norfolk and  
Western, is moving out of Washington.  
They are surveying a line from the  
junction at Front Royal to Center-  
ville, and will reach Fairfax county in  
a day or two. It is said that they in-  
tend to utilize the old road bed from  
Front Royal, which would save them  
\$150,000.

To Extend Her Boundaries.

The town council of Vinton  
presented a bill to the legislature  
through our representative John W.  
Woods, of that town, to incorporate  
limits of that town. If the legisla-  
ture grants their request, a large terri-  
tory will be added to the incorpo-  
rated territory. The bill will be  
Tinker creek which is the eastern  
boundary line of Roanoke city. The  
line of incorporation will run as fol-  
lows:

Beginning at or near the present  
corner of the town at or near two suc-  
cessive trees on I. W. Vinyard's land,  
thence on a line westward, making in  
the lands of the Midway company, to  
Tinker creek; thence with the center of  
said creek to the large branch run-  
ning therein from a point on the  
same to the line of N. J. Vinyard;  
thence with the same to the summit  
of the hill near an old house; thence  
a new line across a corner of said  
Vinyard's land to a point on a line  
with the last point and the continua-  
tion of said line; thence with said  
Vinyard's line to the Pedigree road,  
taking in the same and running to  
the corner near the brickyard; thence  
on a direct line to the end of Post's  
lane, on Bedford road; thence a direct  
line to the corner of the Rutland and  
Ruddell's lane; thence with that road  
as far as the Bonasack road and on a  
direct line to the point of beginning.

New Advertisements.

Your attention is called to the ad-  
vertisement of the Roanoke Iron  
company, "Old Bull, eq. secretary.

Read the new advertisement of J.  
R. Greene & Co., clothing and hat  
store, in this issue. They are the  
successors of Duffey & Greene, a well  
known firm at 135 Salem avenue, who  
have built up a large patronage by  
their square and prompt way of trans-  
acting business. The stock of spring  
goods which are arriving every day  
will be sold at a price that is not only  
beyond competition but will astonish  
you. The class and quality of goods  
kept by this firm are first-class and  
warranted to equal the best in this  
market. Get them at once.

The dissolution notice of  
Messrs. Duffey & Greene, also the  
notice of J. R